

Schnitz un Knepp

Try this classic PA Dutch recipe as a way to use your leftover ham! Recipe adapted from The Pennsylvania Dutch Cookbook

Ingredients

- 1/2 lb schnitz (dried apples)
- 3 lb ham, roughly diced
- 2 T brown sugar
- 2 cup flour
- 1 t salt
- 1/4 t pepper
- 4 t baking powder
- 1 egg, well beaten
- 1/2 1 cup milk
- 3 T melted butter

Directions

- 1. Cover schnitz with water and let soak for at least 3 hours.
- 2. Place diced ham in a large Dutch Oven and cover with cold water. Bring to a boil over medium heat and boil for at least 30 minutes.
- 3. Add the apples and the water in which they were soaked and continue to boil for another 30 minutes. Add brown sugar.
- 4. Make the knepp (dumplings) by sifting together the flour, salt, pepper, and baking powder in a medium bowl. Stir in the beaten egg, melted butter, and enough milk to make a stiff, but moist, batter.
- 5. Drop the batter by small spoonfuls into the Dutch Oven, on top of the ham and apples. Cover tightly and cook for 15-20 minutes. Serve hot.



